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May 1, 1986

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Barry Welch Assistant Area Director Albuquerque Area Office Bureau of Indian Affairs Post Office Box 8327 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87108

Re: Notice of Appeal of Order of April 4, 1986, Reference: Jackpile-Paguate Mine 3570 (017)

Dear Mr. Welch:

I am writing on behalf of our client, Anaconda Minerals Company ("Anaconda"), regarding the Order jointly signed by you and Mr. Herrick E. Hanks of the Bureau of Land Management on April 4, 1986, Reference: Jackpile-Paguate Mine 3570 (017). That Order directs Anaconda to erect fencing and post warning signs at the Jackpile-Paguate Mine, and to provide security personnel at the mine site during certain hours. Anaconda received the Order on April 7, 1986.

Anaconda hereby submits to you its Notice of Appeal regarding the above-referenced Order in accordance with the provisions of 25 C.F.R. § 20.10(a). Because the Order specifies that it was issued based in part on the regulations in 43 C.F.R. § 3575.1 and that an appeal may be taken under 43 C.F.R. § 3578.5, as well as under the provisions of 25 C.F.R. § 20.10(a), Anaconda is filing a similar Notice of Appeal in accordance with 43 C.F.R. § 4.411(a) with Mr. Herrick Hanks, Area Manager, Rio Puerco Resource Area, Bureau of Land Management.

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Anaconda believes that this entire matter is governed by the Bureau of Land Management regulations set forth in Title 43 of the Code of Federal Regulations, and that this appeal is properly within the jurisdiction of the Interior Board of Land Appeals. Accordingly, Anaconda hereby requests that the concurrent appeals be consolidated before that body.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If I may be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely yours,

Michael J Brennan for Holland & Hart

Attorneys for Appellant ANACONDA MINERALS COMPANY

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cc: Mr. Herrick E. Hanks Mr. Meade A. Stirland

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF APPEAL has been served this 1st day of May, 1986 by certified mail on:

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